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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 2, 2007

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Sir:

REOUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on October 2, 2007, in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including March 3, 2008 (the first business day following March 2, 2008, which falls on a weekend). Please charge the Deposit Account No. 50-0206 in the amount of \$230.00 for the two-month extension of time fee. In the event of any variance between the amount charged and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 2, 2007

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 2, 2007 ("Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of all rejections in view of the following remarks.

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